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In re Application of:

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DETECTING HOPPING PIXEL  
DEFECTS IN CCD IMAGE  
SENSORS

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**Amendment**

In response to the office action mailed May 21, 2004, please  
amend the above-identified application, without prejudice, as set forth below:

**Amendments to the Specification** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins  
on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 5 of this paper and include an  
annotated sheet showing the changes requesting approval. The amended drawing  
figures are attached to the end of this Amendment.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.